cost of 50 Demostration polts laid in Mysore State is Rs. 3,300.

(*d*) Seeds, fertilisers and plant protection chemicals were given free to the cultivators under the scheme in the first year and in the second year they were given loan in kiud, There was good response from the private cvltivators to such concessions given by the Government of India. Regarding the results no large scale private enterprise has been started in the State so for, pending the selection of potential areas, want of more agronomic information, etc. An attempt will be made in the year 1959–60 to start large scale private farms. Hence the results cannot be assessed.

(*e*) This is an all-India co-ordinated scheme financed and supervised by the Government of India in the States of Mysore, Kerala and Assam. The work is being reviewed and crop inspected by a special sub-committee appointed by the Indian Central Cotton Committee. The detailed scheme for the future years are being formulated and discussed by an expert body of the Indian Central Cotton Committee after considering the progress made during 1957-58 and 1958-59. Starting of a parallel scheme in the State is, therefore, not contemplated for the present pending the results of experiments carried on by the Government of India.

Appointment of Teachers of Grant-in-aid Primary Schools in the Government Schools.

*Q.—330. Sri P. ANJANAPPA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they contemplate to take over the teachers of grant-in-aid Primary Schools to the Government Schools under P.S.C. Rules ;

(*b*) whether they would take steps to include the names of such teachers in the P.S.C. list ?

A.—Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) They are free to apply to the Public Service Commission when applications are called for and take their chance according to rules in force.

Lands irrigated under Agasarakatte near Pavagada.

*Q.—336. Sri P. ANJANAPPA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the extent of land irrigated by the Agasarakatte near Pavagada ;

(*b*) whether they are aware that the water in this katte is not sufficient for this land ;

(*c*) whether it is possible to feed the tank with the water of the hallas above this tank ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Being a 'Gokatte' the katte has no direct atchkat but an extent of 9 acres and 38 guntas is under irrigation below it out of seepage water and wells in the area.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*).

(*c*) No.

New Type Basins in Kanakapura Government Filatures.

*Q.—380. Sri M. LINGE GOWDA (Kanakapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of new type basins erected in Kanakapura Government Silk Filatures ;

(*b*) when were they put into working order ;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that 24 basins have been stopped from 12th January 1959 ;

(*d*) if so, why ?